

**A PROCLAMATION HONORING  
LOGAN COZART FOR WINNING  
THE BOYS' DIVISION III STATE  
BASEBALL CHAMPIONSHIP**

**HON. ZACHARY T. SPACE**

OF OHIO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Tuesday, October 6, 2009*

Mr. SPACE. Madam Speaker:

Whereas, Logan Cozart showed hard work and dedication to the sport of baseball; and

Whereas, Logan Cozart was a supportive team player; and

Whereas, Logan Cozart always displayed sportsmanship on and off of the field; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, that along with his friends, family, and the residents of the 18th Congressional District, I congratulate Logan Cozart on winning the Boys' Division III State Baseball Championship. We recognize the tremendous hard work and sportsmanship he has demonstrated during the 2008–2009 baseball season.

**EARMARK DECLARATION**

**HON. JOHN J. DUNCAN, JR.**

OF TENNESSEE

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Tuesday, October 6, 2009*

Mr. DUNCAN. Madam Speaker, consistent with House Republican Earmark Standards, I am submitting the following earmark disclosure information for project requests that I made and which were included within H.R. 3183, "Making appropriations for energy and water development and related agencies programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2010, and for other purposes."

Requesting Member: Congressman JOHN DUNCAN

Account: Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy

Project Amount: \$500,000

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: NTRCI, 2360 Cherahala Boulevard, Knoxville, TN 37932

Description of Request: NTRCI will conduct over-the-road, heavy vehicle testing and research to validate the benefits and reliability of the Legacy rotary engine to demonstrate the capability of the Legacy engine to deliver greater fuel efficiency and thus lower consumption and reduced emissions for the \$7 billion Class 8 heavy vehicle engine market.

**RECOGNIZING OUR NATION'S  
SUBMARINE VETERANS**

**HON. JOHN BOOZMAN**

OF ARKANSAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Tuesday, October 6, 2009*

Mr. BOOZMAN. Madam Speaker, I rise today to commemorate the United States World War II Submarine Veterans and the important roles they played in the Allied victory.

Approximately 3,500 submariners gave their lives to protect the liberties and freedoms of the United States. The U.S. Submarine Force suffered the highest loss rate of the U.S.

Armed Forces during World War II, losing a total of 52 American submarines in battle. The War in the Pacific could not have been won without the brave and selfless efforts of these men.

It is also a great honor to be able to attend the decommissioning ceremony for World War II Submarine Veterans, Diamond Chapter, hosted by the USS Snook Base of the United States Submarine Veterans in Rogers, Arkansas.

The recognition of our World War II submarine veterans has been long overdue. I am pleased and honored to recognize these servicemen, who risked their lives for their country and made the World War II victory possible in House Resolution 773. I thank Congressman SESTAK for his service to our country and for his leadership on this Resolution and encourage my colleagues to cosponsor this important bill.

**CONGRATULING THE DALAI LAMA  
ON HIS TRIUMPHS FOR HUMAN  
RIGHTS**

**HON. CHARLES B. RANGEL**

OF NEW YORK

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Tuesday, October 6, 2009*

Mr. RANGEL. Madam Speaker, I rise today to congratulate the Dalai Lama as the first-ever Tom Lantos Human Rights Prize honoree. The award acknowledges the Dalai Lama's role as an unsung hero in the fight for human rights. He is already a Nobel Peace Prize and Congressional Gold Medal recipient.

The Dalai Lama was recognized as the reincarnation of the 13th Dalai Lama when he was two years old and enthroned at the age of 15. For more than 50 years, he has fought on behalf of Tibetan Buddhists and made history as the first Dalai Lama to travel to the West. The late Congressman Tom Lantos—who serves as the namesake for the prestigious award—was fittingly the first Congressman to invite a Dalai Lama to the U.S. Congress.

The Dalai Lama serves as a role model to us all. His courageous spirit in the fight for equal rights, democracy, freedom, and religious harmony are the things that will help not only strengthen Tibet, but the world over.

Annette Lantos and the Lantos Foundation for Human Rights and Justice are committed to recognizing and applauding individuals who continue to fight for human rights in America and abroad, in the great spirit of my former colleague Congressman Lantos. May we join them—with enthusiasm and fervor—in that endeavor.

**PERSONAL EXPLANATION**

**HON. MICHAEL E. CAPUANO**

OF MASSACHUSETTS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Tuesday, October 6, 2009*

Mr. CAPUANO. Madam Speaker, last week I missed several rollcall votes and I wish to state for the record how I would have voted had I been present:

Rollcall No. 740—"yes"; rollcall No. 741—"yes"; rollcall No. 742—"no"; rollcall No. 743—"yes"; rollcall No. 744—"yes"; rollcall

No. 745—"yes"; rollcall No. 746—"no"; rollcall No. 747—"yes"; rollcall No. 748—"yes"; rollcall No. 749—"yes"; rollcall No. 750—"yes"; rollcall No. 751—"yes"; rollcall No. 752—"yes".

**HONORING FEMALE CIVIC  
LEADERS OF WATERLOO**

**HON. BRUCE L. BRALEY**

OF IOWA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Tuesday, October 6, 2009*

Mr. BRALEY of Iowa. Madam Speaker, I rise today to honor eight influential women of Waterloo, Ruth Anderson, BJ Furgerson, Joy Lowe, Lou Porter, Dorothy Sallis, Dorothy Turner, Anna Weems and Willie Mae Wright. These women define what it means to be a champion for equal rights.

Over the past five decades, these women have helped shape the lives of all residents of Waterloo through their efforts to ensure that equality is attained and maintained. Through their work, the city of Waterloo has become an example of moving beyond what divides the community and instead focusing on what strengthens it.

These women have made remarkable strides in bringing forth equality. They were instrumental in bringing Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. to their community, establishing and maintaining Iowa's longest running African American radio station, serving in city and county government, working tirelessly to improve the lives of children, and ensuring that the rights of all citizens of Waterloo are honored. Through their work more people are now invested in their communities and giving back to their neighbors.

These women have dedicated their lives to bringing about the sort of change that we now recognize as fundamental to a full and vibrant society. They are a constant reminder of how far we have come and that we should all strive for fairness in our work and provide opportunities for all. I am proud to represent these women in Congress and wish them well in their future endeavors.

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BALL CHAMPIONSHIP**

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OF OHIO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Tuesday, October 6, 2009*

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